

**Friday, September 21, 2018**

**7 am - 12:45 pm**

**Churchill Downs – Trophy Room**

700 Central Ave.

Louisville, KY 40208

Clinicians from across the United States will discuss best current practices and future treatment and rehabilitation directions for patients with neurological diseases. Hosted by the University of Louisville Department of Neurological Surgery for neurosurgeons, physiatrists, primary care physicians and all other health-care professionals interested in learning the latest treatments and care options for neurological spinal diseases.



**Course director:**

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*Professor*

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*Chief of Spinal Neurosurgery, University of Louisville*

## AGENDA

- 7:00 am Registration, Breakfast and Introduction**
- 8:00 am Novel Insights into the Pathogenesis and Treatment of Cervical Spondylotic Myelopathy**  
Langston Holly, MD, Professor and Co-vice Chair of Clinical Affairs, UCLA Medical Center
- 8:45 am Non-surgical Management of Low Back Pain – Diagnosing Pain Generator and Decision Making**  
Erica Bial, MD, MS  
Assistant Professor of Neurosurgery, Tufts University
- 9:30 am Treatment of Degenerative Lumbar Disorders: The SPORT Trials, Decision-making and Outcomes, State of the Art**  
Jon Lurie, MD, MS  
Professor of Medicine, Professor of Orthopaedics, Professor of The Dartmouth Institute
- 10:30 am Minimally Invasive Spine Surgery – Is it Better than Open?**  
Michael Wang, MD  
Professor and Chief of Neurosurgery, University of Miami Hospital
- 11:15 am Minimally Invasive Surgery for Spinal Deformity – State of the Art Decision Making**  
Praveen Mummaneni, MD,  
Joan O'Reilly Professor in Spinal Surgery, Vice Chair of Neurological Surgery, UCSF Medical Center
- 11:45 am Future of Spine Practice, Improving Value and Patient Satisfaction – What are We Getting Wrong? Right?**  
Regis Haid, MD  
Neurosurgeon, Atlanta Brain and Spine Care
- 12:15 pm Lunch - Adjournment 12:45 pm**



**Register at <http://bit.ly/UofLSpine18>**

There is no fee to attend this course.

Advance registration is required for event planning.

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